



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: PHILLIP J. EDWARDS;)
CHARLES S. JOINER;)
OLIVER W. NORTHRUP)
Serial No.: 10/718,010) Ex:
Filed: 20 NOVEMBER 2003) Art Unit:
For: OPTICAL TRANSCEIVER MODULE)
WITH IMPROVED DDIC AND)
METHODS OF USE)

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Honorable Assistant
Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This is a Petition for Extension of Time in accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

A Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application was mailed 03 March 2004 in the above identified case. A shortened statutory period for response was set for 2 months, up to and including 03 May 2004.

In accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a), Applicant hereby requests an extension of three months, up to and including 03 August 2004, in which to respond.

A check in the amount of \$950.00, the automatic extension fee as prescribed in 37 CFR 1.17(a) is enclosed.

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Respectfully submitted,

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